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forwarded
 Jan 10
 by Express -
 "collect"

✓ Herbarium Harv^o Univ^o -

Dr. S. Oliver - Kew Sent Mar. 23/02
 Dr. E. Regel - St. Petersburg } Sent via Hamburg
 Dr. C. Maximowicz " }
 Dr. E. Cosson, Paris Sent Mar 23/02
 Dr. E. Boissier, Geneva " " via Cosson
 H. Dingler, Munich Still here July 9/02
 W. Carruthers, British Museum Sent Mar. 23/02 via Kew

Boxes received -
 Jan 17th 1881
 Bay West, Fla.
 Dec. 31, 1881

My Dear Sir -
 On the 28th inst. I shipped
 to you from J.ville, by People's
 Line Steamers three boxes
 containing Fossils for you
 to distribute. Among them are
 the sets for Harvard & Kew
 containing all the spcs. distributed,
 about 240, the regular number
 being but 200 -

I send you no sets not actu-
 ally subscribed for, for these
 reasons:

1st There being some insects
 among my plants, I wish to
 subject to the fumes of Carbon
 Disulphide all sets likely to remain
 unhandled for a while. This
 I will do on my return

2nd Mr. F. O. Weigel, of Leipzig, who professed to act as my agent in Germany has made no settlement with me until he does so I shall send him no more. Last spring he wrote that there was \$72. to my credit - and wrote to enquire what he should do with it - (!) I requested him (in June) to send it to me, but I have heard nothing more from him. He had several cuts made at the time he wrote.

If you will please write to him, I presume he will make a settlement & then I will send him more if desired.

Dr. Keck, who subscribed for three sets wrote that the persons who took them found them too dear. Probably they did not like to pay his profit on them.

Two of my N. S. subscribers have dropped from the list - So the prospect is not encouraging. The remittance from Dr. Dingle is for two sets he owed for. After paying the expenses on the boxes sent you, I will thank you to remit the balance to me at Key West.

Yours very truly,

A. A. Bentley